

FOR PRELIMINARY WORK IN BASEBALL

Candidates for Battery Positions
to Be Given Try-
outs.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
Charlottesville, Va., January 19.—A call has been issued for the candidates for the battery positions on the Virginia baseball team to report at the Fawcett gymnasium on February 7 for preliminary try-outs in the cage. About a week later a call will be issued for all candidates for every position. Cage work will then be indulged in every afternoon until the winter breaks enough to get out on the field.

This cage work is under the supervision of Director Lannigan, Coach Reid and Captain Pearson, its object being to condition the men and let them get their eyes on the ball. Every department of the game can be practiced, except, of course, the outfield. A large net is lowered from the ceiling to stop stray balls, and it makes ideal winter quarters for a team to train in. Infield work, batting and battery work are greatly improved in this manner, and it is due largely to the winter cage work that Virginia always has such a creditable baseball team.

Prospects are fairly bright for a winning team this spring. Of last year's team there are in the university at present: Catchers Pearson and Stanton; Pitcher Wilmer; Infielder Pickford and Outfielders Hume, Pritchett and Cabanis. It is hoped that the vacant positions can be filled to advantage either from members of last year's squad or from the new material.

Trap Shooters' Scores.
Pittsburg, Pa., January 19.—The official Interstate Association Trap Shooting averages for 1909 was made public here to-day. The average for single targets are based on a minimum of 2,000 for amateurs and a minimum of 5,000 for professionals.

Among the ten leading trap shooters in the amateur and professional classes, respectively, follow:

J. R. Taylor, Atlanta, Ga., shot at 6,755, broke 6,379; average, .9471.
H. D. Freeman, Atlanta, Ga., shot at 9,215, broke 8,691; average, .9431.
W. Huff, Mason, Ga., shot at 7,765, broke 7,316; average, .9421.

Treasury Statement.
Washington, D. C., January 19.—The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

Trust Funds.

Gold coin.....\$57,125,548
Silver dollars.....61,825,000
Silver dollars of 1890.....2,510,000
Silver certificates outstanding.....49,325,000

General Funds.

Standard silver dollars in general fund.....\$1,400,209
Current liabilities.....29,995,234
Working balance in Treasury offices.....21,175,595
In banks to credit of Treasurer.....35,751,568
Of the United States.....19,243,457
Subsidiary silver coin.....1,962,332
Minor coin.....1,962,332
Total balance in general fund.....\$9,325,841

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VIRGINIA TO MEET CORNELL ON TRACK

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Charlottesville, Va., January 19.—With a relay race scheduled definitely with Cornell one week from next Saturday, the question as to who will represent Virginia continues to be as lacking in an answer as it was before the Christmas holidays. No cut has been made in the squad, which continues to number over forty men, and it is Trainer Lannigan has singled out any favorites, he is keeping his choice very quiet.

Manager Cecil of the track team, received a letter a few days ago from Cornell, challenging Virginia to run her relay team at the George Washington meet, in Washington, February 5. He wired at once, accepting the challenge. The Ithacans now have one of the best relay teams in the country since Pennsylvania lost Taylor, the colored quarter-miler, Cornell is anxious for her track men, and unless this year proves an exception, the Virginia four, whoever they may be, will have one of the hardest races at the very beginning of the season. Three of Virginia's men will be Stanton, Goodwin and Wilshire, of last year's team. The fourth one is yet uncertain, but it looks now as if the choice will fall upon either Todd or King. Todd was subquartermaster on the varsity football team last fall, and made quite a reputation for himself.

He is from New York City, and got his prep school training at Bellevue Academy, Bedford City, Va. Fain, who was especially good in the quarter-mile, will not be able to run any more this year, as he is ill of typhoid fever in the University Hospital. He was formerly a member of the Chicago Athletic Club.

The track team schedule has not been definitely made out. This is due to the fact that the guarantees of-

ferred the Virginia team are not large enough to cover the expenses of the trip. As the General Athletic Association cannot afford to put up much of the required amount, it looks as if the team will be limited in the meets which it will enter. The annual Johns Hopkins meet, in Baltimore, may not take place, and this will put the team out of another trip, if such is the case. However, some increase in the guarantees may be made, as the Virginia team is always an important factor in the Washington and Baltimore meets.

The hurdlers, jumpers and distance men are now working separately from the relay squad. Both Smith and Ward are improving rapidly in form in the high jump, and should make good before the season is over.

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With Wife as Passenger Intrepid Frenchman Flies Over Villages, Forests and Sea, Making Trip of 22 Miles—Carries More Passengers in a Day Than Had Been Done Before.

Aviation Field, Los Angeles, Cal., January 19.—By carrying his wife in his biplane on a twenty-two-mile cross-country trip from the aviation field to a point half a mile over the

ocean and back; by taking another passenger on a twelve-mile flight over the fields, and by taking three other passengers, one at a time, on a short flight, Louis Paulhan to-day established new world's records for heavier-than-air flying machines.

No other aviator has taken up so many passengers in one day, and no other aviator has taken a woman for a high flight over fields and woods and villages and surf for more than twenty miles.

Paulhan flew at an altitude of from 500 to 1,000 feet over Redondo Beach, Venice by the Sea and other resorts toward Point Florida. There were no life buoys left to the machine to save them from death in the waves, should they fail. He made this trip and other perilous flights with ease.

Paulhan flew thirty-three minutes on his twenty-two-mile trip with his wife. His twelve-mile trip was made with Clifford B. Harmon, of New York. Besides these, he took up Mrs. Cortland F. Bishop, wife of President Bishop, of the Aero Club of America; Lieutenant Paul Beck, of the United

LAYERS WIN AT TAMPA; JOLTED AT MONCRIEF

Favorites and Heavily Played
Played Good Things
Bowled Over in
Succession.

Tampa, Fla., January 19.—Layers had their innings to-day, when every favorite as well as heavily played "good things" was knocked down in succession and lightly played second and third choices got the money. Summary: First race—three furlongs, two-year-olds—Golden Ruby, 112 (Kohn), 16 to 5, first; Ellanette, 198 (Mountain), 1 to 2, second; Louise B., 107 (Gilbert), 9 to 2, third. Time, .37. Second race—five and a half furlongs, maiden three-year-olds—Necklet, 164 (Gilbert), 5 to 2, first; Elizabethan, 192 (Koenner), 1 to 2, second; Catrine Montour, 104 (Jackson), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:11 3-5. Third race—five and a half furlongs, three-year-olds and up—Ormusse, 105 (Carroll), 7 to 2, first; Fleming, 102 (Davenport), 9 to 2, second; Esther Brown, 106 (Glaser), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:11. Fourth race—six furlongs, handicap, three-year-olds and up—Warner Griswell, 108 (Davenport), 5 to 1, first; Mettie Bernald, 106 (Lang), even, second; Gloistress, 105 (Glaser), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:17 2-5. Fifth race—seven furlongs, three-year-olds—Merise, 104 (Jackson), 3 to 1, first; Otogo, 107 (Lang), 3 to 1, second; Claiborne, 107 (Davenport), 5 to 1, third. Time, 1:23 1-5. Sixth race—seven furlongs, four-year-olds and up—Rebel Queen, 106 (Glaser), 5 to 2, first; Grace Kimball, 105 (Davenport), 2 to 1, second; Alice, 97 (Burton), 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:23.

Five Heavily Played
Choices Bring Home
the Bacon at Moncrief Course.

Jacksonville, Fla., January 19.—Moncrief layers received an awful drubbing to-day, as five heavily played choices were returned winners. Taboo, making his initial appearance here, furnished the surprise of the afternoon by winning the General Lee Birthday Confederate Handicap from Woolwinder in a gruelling finish from the head of the stretch. Summary: First race—three furlongs, selling—Deceeny, 105 (Howard), 11 to 5, first; Lady Ormeau, 109 (Powers), 11 to 5, second; Bendaga, 115 (Trozier), 9 to 2, third. Time, .36. Second race—five and a half furlongs, purse—Carroll, 112 (Trozier), 1 to 2, first; Martin May, 107 (Obert), 59 to 1, second; Dross Parade II, 112 (McGee), 12 to 1, third. Time, 1:08. Third race—six furlongs, selling—Furnace, 110 (Powers), 4 to 5, first; Ben Double, 110 (Obert), 3 to 1, second; Waponeca, 110 (Trozier), 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:12 4-5. Fourth race—General Lee Birthday Confederate Handicap, mile and an eighth—Taboo, 106 (Goldstein), 18 to 5, first; Woolwinder, 109 (Ganz), even, second; Pinte, 108 (McGee), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:53 3-5. Fifth race—six furlongs, selling—Jacobite, 104 (Howard), 6 to 5, first; Tolson D'O, 109 (Powers), 7 to 2, second; Yama, 109 (King), 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:13. Sixth race—mile and a sixteenth, selling—Soneman, 111 (Powers), 9 to 10, first; Camel, 107 (S. Davis), 4 to 1, second; Splendide, 99 (Peace), 150 to 1, third. Time, 1:48 3-5.

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O'BRIEN GETS WORST OF SIX-ROUND BOUT

Philadelphia, Pa., January 19.—Jack O'Brien's ring generalship to-night saved him from a terrible beating and possible knockout at the hands of Al Kaufman, of San Francisco, in a six-round bout before the National Athletic Club.

At the close of the fight both men were bleeding from nose and mouth, and O'Brien had a badly swollen eye, but Kaufman was in far better condition than the Philadelphia when the men left the ring.

When the bell rang for the opening round the men rushed to a clinch, and in the breakaway O'Brien sent two straight lefts to the nose. Kaufman rushed his opponent under the ring, but O'Brien would stop suddenly and told a hard right or left to the face.

In the second round Kaufman drove his right under O'Brien's heart and crossed a left to the jaw, causing Jack to clinch. The minute rest refreshed O'Brien wonderfully, and he had all the advantage in the third round. His exertions seemed to weaken him, however, and he had it not been for his clinching in the fourth round O'Brien would probably have been knocked out. About the middle of this round Kaufman drove a wicked right to the wind and hooked a vicious left to the chin. O'Brien dropped to his knees, and as he arose he rushed to a clinch. His clever footwork saved him. In the fifth and sixth rounds O'Brien would not allow the Californian to get set. The Philadelphia would jab the nose with a left and then rush to a clinch before Kaufman could land with effect. In the middle of the sixth round Kaufman caught O'Brien coming in and almost lifted him off his feet with a

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ARRANGING GAMES FOR EXHIBITION

"Shoemakers" to Play Several
Contests Before Sea-
son Opens.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

Lynchburg, Va., January 19.—President McLaughlin, of the Baseball Association, announces that he has secured games here for the spring exhibition season with the New York Americans and Montreal, of the Eastern League.

The Highlanders will open on April 7, and this will be the first game of the season. The Eastern Leaguers come on April 18.

The second game of the exhibition season will be with Rochester, of the Eastern League, on April 9, and Toronto, of the same league, comes on April 12.

By no means will these be all of the exhibition games for the coming spring. The Shoemakers, President McLaughlin has propositions from other teams under consideration, and as soon as dates can be agreed upon, announcement will be made of these games.

It is probable that the Shoemakers will agree to have a number of games with some of the Carolina Association teams. Last year Charlotte and Greensboro were here, and these teams made the 1909 Shoemakers look like a lot of dubs.

The Shoemaker fans will have something like eight or ten or perhaps more games for the exhibition season.

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Roanoke, Va., January 19.—The annual baseball game between the teams of the Virginia Military Institute and the Virginia Polytechnic Institute will be played here Easter Monday.

LIBERALS GAIN, BUT CANNOT WIN

London, January 19.—All the returns or to-day's elections, which are likely to be received to-night, show that the Unionists gained 7 seats, and the Liberals 1, leaving the present position of the parties as follows:

Unionists, 129; Liberals, 119; Laborites, 22; Nationalists, 44.

Thus far, therefore, the Unionists have a net gain of 45 seats. They are required to obtain at least 168 net gains to wipe out the Liberal majority in the last Parliament.

How closely the Unionists are fighting their opponents is shown by the following figures of the aggregate polling to date:

Unionists vote, 1,390,598; Liberals, 1,234,875; Laborites, 263,463; Socialists, 16,271.

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Suffolk, Va., January 19.—T. O. Palmer, druggist, has made a deed of assignment to Senator E. E. Holland and Lee Britt, trustees.

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